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6.6 Basic Trig. Equations

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Find all real numbers in terms of π that satisfy each equation.

1. $\cos x = 0$

2. $\sin(x) + 2 = 0$

3. $\sin(x) = -1$

4. $\tan(x) = -1$

5. $\cos(x) = \frac{1}{2}$

6. $\sin(x) = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$

7. $\tan(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$

8. $\cos(x) = \frac{-\sqrt{3}}{2}$

9. $2\sin(x) + \sqrt{2} = 0$

10. $\tan(x) + \sqrt{3} = 0$

Find all angles in degrees that satisfy each equation.

11. $2\cos(\alpha) - \sqrt{2} = 0$

12. $\tan(\alpha) - 1 = 0$

13. $\tan(\alpha) = -1$

14. $\sin(\alpha) = -1$

Find all angles in the interval $[0^\circ, 360^\circ]$ that satisfy each equation. Round approximations to the nearest tenth of a degree.

15. $\cos(\alpha) = 0.873$

16. $\sin(\alpha) = -0.244$

17. $\tan(\alpha) = 5.42$

Find all angles in the interval $[0, 2\pi]$ that satisfy each equation. Round to the nearest hundredth.

18. $\cos(\alpha) = 0.66$

19. $\sqrt{6} \tan(\alpha) - 1 = 0$

20. $7 \sin(\alpha) - \sqrt{7} = 0$

Solve each equation. Round to the nearest hundredth.

21. $\frac{\sin \alpha}{23.4} = \frac{\sin 67.2^\circ}{25.9}$ for $0^\circ < \alpha < 90^\circ$

22. $(3.6)^2 = (5.4)^2 + (8.2)^2 - 2(5.4)(8.2)\cos \alpha$ for $0^\circ < \alpha < 90^\circ$

23. Solve $t = -6 \sin(m) + 2$ for m where $-\frac{\pi}{2} \leq m \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$

24. $\frac{\sin 33.2^\circ}{a} = \frac{\sin 45.6^\circ}{13.7}$

Find all real numbers in degrees that satisfy the equation. Round approximate answers to 2 decimal places.

25. $3 = 5 \sin(x) + 1$

Find the exact value of each expression without using a calculator or table. Write both the degrees and radians.

26. a) $\arcsin\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$

b) $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{-1}{2}\right)$

c) $\tan^{-1}(-1)$

d) $\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right)$

e) $\cos\left(\frac{-\pi}{2}\right)$

f) $\sin^{-1}(-1)$

27. A sector of a circle has a central angle of $\frac{\pi}{6}$. Find the exact area of the sector if the radius of the circle is 6 inches.